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ADDENDUM TO JOURNAL

OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL

Tuesday - 27 December 1977

1. (Confidential - DFM) LIAISON Called Ed Levine, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, and arranged for him to meet with DDO and Comptroller officials at 11:00 a.m. tomorrow at Headquarters to discuss a recent Reserve release.

2. (Unclassified - DFM) LIAISON Received a call from Abram Shulsky, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who said he had read in this morning's New York Times a statement which Admiral Turner had made in a 14 November news conference in Chicago. The statement referred to Soviet intercepts of U. S. communications. Shulsky asked for a transcript of the press conference. Later in the day, Shulsky came by 25X1 the office and picked up the transcript.

4. (Unclassified - DFM) LIAISON Called the offices of our four oversight committees to announce the appointment of a new DDO and ADDO. I spoke with Audrey Hatry, Clerk, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, who agreed to relay the message to Bill Miller, Staff Director, who is vacationing in Vermont. I reached Pete Bonner, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, and Pete Murphy, House Appropriations Committee staff. Murphy indicated he would be meeting with Chairman George H. Mahon (D., Texas) in about an hour and would relay the message to him. All senior staff of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence were in a hearing but Sharon Leary took the message and agreed to get a note to Tom Latimer, Staff Director, on it.

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5. (Internal Use Only - CM) LIAISON David Barton, House International Relations Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East staff, called to ask if he could continue to keep in the full Committee's safe a classified document on Soviet arms sales which we sent him several weeks ago. I said he could and that we had a receipt showing the Committee had custody of the document.

6. (Internal Use Only - CM) BRIEFING Bill Lawrence, House Select Committee on Narcotics and Drug Abuse Control staff, returned my call to Joe Nellis, Chief Counsel, to say that Nellis and fellow staffer, Tom Vogel, would not have time for a briefing before leaving on 2 January as a part of the CODEL of Chairman Lester L. Wolff (D., N.Y.). I 25X1 incorporated this into the draft of a second cable to the field on the Chairman Wolff trip, which I then gave to [redacted] O-SA/DO/O, for sending to the stations the group is to visit.

7. (Internal Use Only - CM) LIAISON [redacted] NFAC/CSS, advised that he had biographic items on two Soviets of interest to Dan Anderson, of Senator Henry M. Jackson's (D., Wash.) Governmental 25X1 Affairs Permanent Investigations Subcommittee. Anderson asked to see the items when he returns to the Hill from leave the week of 9 January.

8. (Internal Use Only - CM) BRIEFING David Keaney, of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, called to report that the CODEL with Senators Harrison Williams (D., N.J.), Ted Stevens (R., Alaska), Howard Cannon (D., Nev.), Abraham Ribicoff (D., Conn.), Ernest Hollings (D., S. Car.) and perhaps Daniel P. Moynihan (D., N.Y.), will try to visit India, Iran, Saudi Arabia, Syria, Greece, and Turkey (stopping at West Berlin on the way and London coming back), leaving 25X1 2 January. Senator Jacob K. Javits (R., N.Y.) will join them in Iran. Keaney asked for a briefing for himself on the six countries to be visited. 25X1 [redacted] NFAC/CSS, promptly arranged for a briefing on Thursday, 29 December, at 2:00 p.m., at Headquarters. [redacted]

9. (Internal Use Only - CM) LIAISON I left word for Mike Cops, Administrative Assistant to Senator Ernest Hollings (D., S. Car.), to call me. The subject is a Confidential document on Panama which we left with the Senator some weeks ago.

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10. (Internal Use Only - CM) LIAISON I advised Terry Lytle, Chairman Edward M. Kennedy's (D., Mass.) Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Antitrust and Monopoly staff, that we would not be able to declassify an item [REDACTED] STAT which the news media has mentioned. Lytle understood the problem, though he lamented it and thought it might be a good idea to get a clearance for himself.

11. (Internal Use Only - CM) LIAISON I left word for Jim Humphreys, of the staff of Senator Donald Riegle (D., Mich.), to call me. The subject is an earlier query from Humphreys about declassification programs going on in the Agency now.

12. (Unclassified - MG) LIAISON Sent via courier to Senator Henry M. Jackson (D., Wash.) a note from the Director which forwarded a copy of the Director's statement on the personnel reductions in the DDO.

13. (Unclassified - RSG) LIAISON Took a call from Mickey Goldsmith, House Select Committee on Assassinations staff, who indicated he was scheduled to attend a briefing at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, 28 December, in the C&R Conference Room on the structure of CIA. Mr. Goldsmith suggested the briefing be postponed until Thursday, 5 January, at the same time. I told him I would get back to him with confirmation, which I did.

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